

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

SHARON D. FOWLER-TURNER,

Plaintiff,

Case Number: 09-CV-12968

v.

JUDGE PAUL D. BORMAN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

JAMES B. PEEKE, M.D.,
Secretary of the Department of Veteran Affairs,

Defendant.

**ORDER (1) GRANTING PLAINTIFF'S APPLICATION TO PROCEED
WITHOUT PREPAYMENT OF FEES AND
(2) DENYING PLAINTIFF'S APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL**

Before the Court is Plaintiff's July 28, 2009 Application to Proceed *In Forma Pauperis* and Application for Appointment of Counsel Financial Affidavit. (Dkt. Nos. 2-3). Having considered her Application to Proceed *In Forma Pauperis* under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a) and her Application for Appointment of Counsel under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(e),

IT IS ORDERED that her Application to Proceed *In Forma Pauperis* is:

 X GRANTED.

 X The clerk is directed to file the complaint.

 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the clerk issue summons and the plaintiff serve a copy of the complaint, summons, and this order upon the defendant.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that her Application for Appointment of Counsel is:

 X DENIED.

SO ORDERED.

s/Paul D. Borman

PAUL D. BORMAN

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Dated: July 31, 2009

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Copies of this Order were served on the attorneys of record by electronic means or U.S. Mail on July 31, 2009.

s/Denise Goodine

Case Manager